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This Friday night will likely prove a momentous one in the history of Sikeston as the question of shall we pledge future revenues to secure an Armory, or shall we let the opportunity pass to secure a building where visitors can be entertained, where conventions can be held and where banquets can be spread for hundreds instead of dozens as now. Certainly the Sikeston City treasury is unable to put up the sponsor's share of \$12,000 at this time, but just around the corner is the Board of Public Works that does all things well, that has a way of meeting its own obligations in the way of interest, sinking fund, and then helping the city. We are now getting around to invite the full Board of Public Works to do considerable figuring by this Friday, then meet with the City Council and interested citizens, and see just what can be done toward guaranteeing the sponsor's share during the next six months when the cash will be needed. The \$5,000 State money can be used to start the project and by the time more money for material is needed perhaps the Board of Public Works can advance a thousand or two along to keep the material coming. The opportunity will never again be presented to receive a real Community Building and Armory as we now have for so small a cost.

Most every Sikestonian is interested in the Lions Chorus being gotten in shape by Miss Adeline Bowman and Mrs. Bess Elder for the Lions International at Chicago the coming week. You remember the honors the Sikeston Lions Chorus has won in the past at the Internationals and you must know, too, that it takes quite a bit of cash to pay transportation and keep of this party, therefore your support is earnestly requested. The girls have earned part of their expense through rummage sales and are selling tickets for a special softball game this Friday night at 7:00 o'clock at the High School athletic Field, following which friends are requested to attend Pal Night at the Malone Theatre where the Chorus will give their program in fifteen minutes following the first picture show, and will receive a liberal cash donation from the McCutchen's to help them on their way. The softball tickets are 15 cents each, two for 25 cents. The picture show tickets, two for the price of one.

Wednesday morning we received a note from one of our granddaughters out in Virginia, eight-year-old Jeanne Payne, saying they were going down to the Beach for two or three weeks and asked us to send her some "scrap paper," which meant scraps cut from job stock too small to print. All right, we fixed up a small package and mailed it to Arlington, Va., and paid 22 cents postage on same to make happy this small granddaughter who believed all she had to do was to ask for the moon and we would give it. We are thankful that our small grandchildren have confidence in us and we shall try and never deceive them in any way.

We talked with an old fellow a few days ago that is past the three score and ten whose productive days are over and who now is making application for an old age pension. With tears in his eyes he told us that it was a bitter pill to take after living an active life but had never been able to lay up anything for the rainy day and that now as it was upon him he would have to ask his country to provide for him. Such is life.

Aaron Smith passed to his reward Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the age of 68 years. We have known him for nearly a quarter of a century and never knew him to be in robust health, but never knew him to complain. He was a poor man, humble and thankful that he was permitted to live and enjoy such blessings as came his way. He raised just about the best garden truck of any one in the community and was proud to serve his customers. For several years he was the Hot-Tamale Man and the children watched for him and enjoyed his wares. In death he is rich and at rest as we believe in his humble and clean heart he is among those to receive a just reward after death.

One of the most sensible lawn parties that we have heard of in a long time was recently given by a cook of a prominent family on the lawn at the rear of the big house. There were games played, songs sung, stories told and the hostess sold ice cream and sandwiches the proceeds of which was to go toward paying for some store teeth.

Mrs. Ed P. Crowe of Dexter was the guest Tuesday of her mother, Mrs. Laura Smith. The suit, filed in the name of Wilbur C. Buford, state game and

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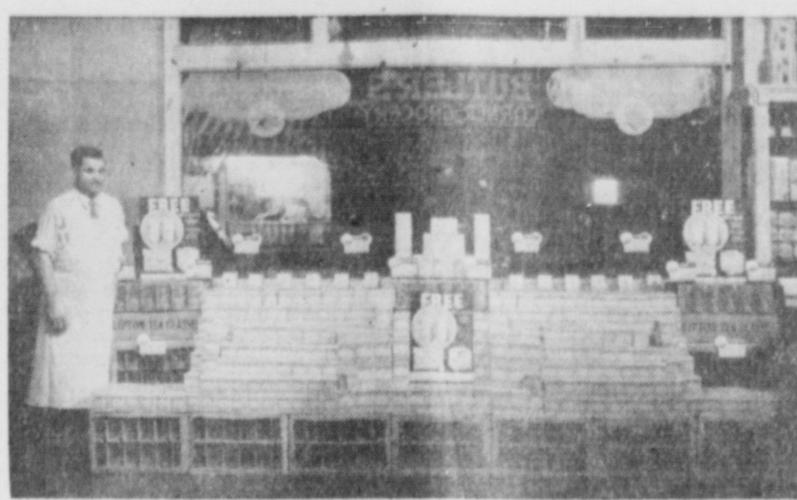
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Lipton Tea display in Butler's Corner Grocery. This purchase totaled several hundred pounds.

Million Gallon Pond For Stoddard County

We went out to the County Farm one afternoon last week to take a look at the pond that was begun and completed as a WPA project. We pronounced it a first class job of workmanship and construction and ample in size to take care of the needs of the farm. In a year or two when the bottom gets well settled and the clay, sand and gravel that covers it gets well set, we believe it will furnish water enough to supply stock water to a good many farms in the community in time of drought. The dam across the lower end is raised to a height of about 15 feet. It's 40 feet wide at the base—about 8 feet at the top—about 175 feet long—and has a concrete wall through the main part of it that goes down about 3 feet below the bottom of the pond. It also rises to a height of about 6 feet up into the dam where the main pressure from the water will be. A three-inch pipe runs through the bottom of the dam to a concrete watering trough, built just below it. In one end of the trough a compartment was built where a check float is installed so that the trough won't overflow nor yet let the water get so low that stock can't easily reach it. The end of the water pipe in the pond is turned up and stands at a height of about two feet above the bottom of it. Over the top is a copper wire screen. This arrangement prevents any silt or trash from getting into the pipe. It is sunk below the freezing line and has a shut-off valve so that the water can be cut off below freezing depth in cold weather.

The dam has been well sodded to prevent erosion and the watershed that will feed the pond is pasture land that has a very good soil of field grasses. This will prevent the top soil from washing down and gradually filling it up. Near the top of the dam of concrete overflow spillway was built to carry off any water that might drain into the pond in excess of its capacity, without damage to the dam. Looking at the pond while it is dry causes one to speculate on whether or not the spillway will ever be needed. The pond will have considerably over a million gallons of water in it before it rises to the level of the spillway. Whether the watershed is big enough to drain an overflow supply into the pond and the soil "tight" or impervious enough to hold it until it rises to the overflow level—are questions that time only can answer.

We believe it would pay every hill farmer who is confronted with the problem of stock water during recent weeks of drought, to take a look at this pond with the view of making one on a similar plan. It need not be as expensive nor as big, but the plan is a good one and can be used successfully on most hill farms where needed.

Bloomfield Vindicator.

4 Sikeston Boy Scouts Home from Jamboree

Four Sikeston Boy Scouts returned Tuesday much the wiser for a 2000-mile trip to Washington, D. C., to the National Scout Jamboree, returning by way of Niagara Falls and Detroit.

The quartet, Jean Klein, Lee Austin Bowman, John Russell Felker and Gordon Blanton, spent three weeks on the excursion, including five days in preparation at Camp Lewallen on the St. Francis River.

They left Sikeston June 22 and with Scoutmaster Evan Burge in charge went to the Southeast Missouri camp where they practiced marching, stunts and tent pitching. Early on June 29 they drove to Cape Girardeau and after a dinner there took the Frisco to St. Louis.

Leaving St. Louis the same evening, they arrived in Pittsburgh at 8:30 o'clock the next morning. They spent an entire day sight-seeing in Pittsburgh, but did not get to witness the mammoth steel mills in operation because of a strike.

Departing from Pittsburgh at 11 p. m., they arrived in Washington at 7:30 a. m. and went straight to their camping ground to set up decorations for Mis-

Scouts. The Sikeston Scouts represented Region 8 of the national organization, which consists of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and other central states. Regions were divided into sections and sections into troops. Jean Klein and Lee Austin Bowman were a part of Troop 28 which had Southeast Missouri Scouts. Because a troop can have but 42-40 boys and two scouts—John Russell Felker and Gordon Blanton had to camp with Iowa Scouts.

The Sikeston Scouts were camped on Haines Point, on the Potomac. Since there were a gigantic throng of 28,000 boys in Washington, other camping sites across the Potomac and around the Washington monument were used.

Briefly, a day consisted of the following general schedule:

Assembly and flag raising at 7 a. m.

Patrol duty; each patrol took its turn, two boys acting as cooks,

and parents of a son born Thursday morning.

Gene Crandall returned to his home in Macomb, Ill. Tuesday after visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Taylor for three days.

Mrs. John Howell, Miss Marjorie Mow and Mrs. Clarence Crumpecker of Morehouse visited with Miss Mary Emma Powell in Farmington from Monday to Wednesday evening.

Mrs. T. A. Slack is ill at her home on North Ranney.

SENATOR JOE ROBINSON DIED SUDDENLY JULY 14

Washington, July 14.—Sen. Joe T. Robinson, Democratic leader since 1922 and President Roosevelt's chief Senate adviser, died suddenly today in his capitol apartment home. His death, a shock to the capitol, threw the administration legislative program into a turmoil.

Robinson's body was discovered at 7:15 a. m. by the family's colored maid, Mary Jasper.

Congressman A. Magruder McDonald said his death was due to heart disease.

Dr. George W. Calver, capitol physician, said Robinson apparently had left his bed about midnight and had gone to the bathroom where he fell face downward.

Calver said Robinson, who was 64 years old, had suffered several heart attacks in recent months.

"I did not see him at the time," Calver said, "but many who were there noticed he became very pale and apparently cut his speech short. Sen. Copeland rushed to his side when he stopped speaking."

Tentative plans were made to send Senator Robinson's body to Arkansas tomorrow.

Robinson, who had been Democratic leader since 1922, was personally in charge of the administration's two major legislative campaigns to enact President Roosevelt's bill to reorganize the courts and the executive departments. His colleagues generally had expected his appointment to the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Justice Van Devanter.

Although Robinson's health had not been quite as good as in former years, his sudden death was a tremendous shock to his senatorial colleagues and all of official Washington.

The Democratic leader had been working with terrific energy during recent weeks in an effort to devise a compromise court bill for which he could obtain Senate approval under his direction.

He also had given close personal attention to the government reorganization program. Two or three weeks ago he personally introduced a compromise bill to carry out the chief executive's reorganization program and had called his committee to begin work on it today.

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The sudden death of Robinson gave rise immediately to speculation over his successor as Democratic leader. When talk of his possible appointment to the Supreme Court began, three major possibilities were mentioned for leader—Sens. Brynes of South Carolina, Harrison of Mississippi and Barkley of Kentucky.

Robinson, for the past 15 years Democratic leader in the Senate, has been one of the outstanding political figures in Washington.

After attending the University of Arkansas and the Virginia Law School, Robinson began reading law in a small lawyer's office back in 1892. Two years later, he was elected to the General Assembly of his home state.

He was elected to Congress in 1902, during the administration of President Theodore Roosevelt.

After serving in the House 10 years, Robinson retired to become governor of Arkansas. He only stayed in the governor's office a few months, however, because a vacancy appeared in the Senate and he was quickly chosen to fill it.

Robinson was serving only his second term in the Senate when he became the recognized leader of the opposition to ratification of the Washington Arms Treaty.

This projected him into position to be chosen Democratic leader in 1922 when Oscar Underwood, of Alabama, retired from that post.

When the Democrats gained control of the Senate along with the election of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Robinson became majority leader. As such, he has been the New Deal's legislative chieftain and steered through Congress the mass of new laws initiated by President Roosevelt's administration.

Eight years later the Democratic convention chose him as vice presidential candidate to run on the ticket with Gov. "Al" Smith, of New York.

Again in 1936, when Roosevelt was renominated at Philadelphia, Robinson was the convention's permanent chairman.

Sen. Robinson was born in a small settlement near Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 26, 1872, the son of Dr. James and Matilda Jane Robinson. He obtained his early education at home and in rural schools and at the age of 17 began teaching school to earn money to pay his way to college.

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Three young people, Elizabeth North, 17, Retha Wilbanks, 16, and Erxil Roberts, of Corinth, Miss., were charged in Federal Court at St. Louis Monday with transporting a stolen automobile from Mississippi to Sikeston, in violation of the federal Dyer act.

Judge Charles B. Davis meted out sentences of one day in jail to the trio. They had been held in jail in default of bond.

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Cleve Hayes from Clarence, Mo., writes us that he wishes to contact some melon grower with the intent of buying a truck load of melons every week during the season. If you are interested write Mr. Hayes at Clarence, Mo.

George Snider, Director of WPA headquarters at Farmington is expected to meet with interested parties this Friday evening to do what he can to aid Sikeston with an Armory and Community Building. C. L. Blanton, Jr., is likewise expected and we trust a full membership of both the City Council and the Board of Public Works will be present.

An Exceptional Friend Has Gone

Friendship is society and business is in many cases all too casual. We meet—admire, endorse, criticise possibly, and go on our devious ways looking after selfish affairs—forgetting to follow up friendships that may ripen and develop into a standard of regard that can not be shaken by ill winds of prejudice and other petty things of life. It has been our privilege since coming to Sikeston to find a friendship that measured up to that scale, with one of the kindest and most sympathetic men we have ever known. Business cares and responsibilities were never so pressing but what he could find time two, three, four times weekly to call, exchange friendly greetings and well wishes with all the several days.

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force, and pass on to his daily duties. Such evidence of human kindness and good will is far beyond the daily average—and now—that Clarence Bruton has crossed the great Divide his example stands out like a Beacon Light in comparison. Along with his many other friends we shall treasure the memory of his companionship and encouraging words till the evening shadows fall—From F. D. Lair's advertisement.

Quite a bit of sickness in and around Sikeston due, perhaps, to the hot weather, cantaloupes and green corn. With us at this time we could digest an iron wedge if we could swallow it.

From our hometown, Paris, Mo., comes word of the arrest of a preacher charged with killing a young woman, robbing her and throwing her body from the Mark Twain bridge at Hannibal into the Mississippi River. We knew the woman well, a church member and a Christian, yet she was supposedly killed by her former pastor in whom she had implicit faith. Circumstantial evidence is mighty strong against him as blood was found in his car and strands of golden hair like hers, and a pair of trousers and shirt only partially washed showing traces of blood were found in his home. Suspicion was so strong that the Rev. Newton was removed to another jail for safe keeping. Maybelle Bryor Kelly was a distant relative of the Standard editor.

Every once in a while we learn something new from Ripley's Believe It Or Not. He tells us that Landgrave Friedrich II of Hesse-Cassel, Germany, who sold the Hessian soldiers to England to fight against the United States refused to see his own children for 39 years, that he was the father of 113 illegitimate children and left \$60,000,000 in cash when he died. Some man.

WHEAT PRICE AND YIELD HIGHER AROUND SIKESTON

With wheat standing at approximately 20 cents a bushel believe it or not, we are shocked. They are just like other men, we suppose, like to gaze upon pretty women and pretty women seem to like to linger around a preacher. Both should keep their distance and watch their step.

W. W. Lankford went to Pine Ridge, Miss., Wednesday to spend a few days.

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The price offered by the company Thursday morning was \$1.16 for No. 2 wheat.

While black rust is reported to have cut the output considerably in some parts of the United States and Canada, none has been observed in the Sikeston territory. However, red rust has been found in this section, farmers say, particularly in low sections.

Mr. Bowman attributes the increase in the prospective Southeast Missouri production to increased acreage, rather than to favorable weather conditions, as this area experienced somewhat unfavorable weather during the wheat's maturing period.

The increased acreage in this section is estimated at 60 per cent. E. A. Logan, senior crop statistician for the state at Columbia, has estimated a crop of 36,000,000 bushels for Missouri.

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Three members of a Hayti family were painfully injured at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning about five miles north of Sikeston on Highway 61 when their DeSoto sedan rammed into the rear of a Sikeston truck parked on the highway.

Those riding in the sedan were Dr. and Mrs. J. Limbaugh and their daughter, Jerry. Mrs. Limbaugh suffered a broken kneecap and her daughter a broken nose. Both were taken to St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau by the Elisse ambulance. Dr. Limbaugh sustained minor cuts and bruises.

Highway Patrolman Melvin Dace, who investigated the accident, reported the truck, belong-

ing to the Carson-Richter Co. of this city and operated by Owen Brady of Kennett, had come to a stop on the highway after its lights had burned out. The truck driver said he was in the act of securing flares carried in the machine for such emergencies when the Limbaugh car came along and crashed into the rear of the standing vehicle.

The DeSoto was badly mashed in front and had damages estimated between \$200 and \$300. The truck was only slightly damaged in the rear.

The Limbaughs were returning from a shopping trip in St. Louis. The mother and daughter were later removed to a Memphis hospital.

Athletic Head Has First
Baseball Class in City

A modern baseball school had its first class in Sikeston Wednesday evening at the baseball park under the direction of C. O. Brown, president of the Chicago Athletic Institute, Inc., who with Russell Gramlich, Kansas City, acting State Director of Recreation for the WPA, hopes to establish players of this city with the American Baseball Congress.

To a promising group of 40 prospects who turned out at the park Mr. Brown explained many valuable points about batting. He told them they should grip the bat firmly but not too tightly. Standing at the plate, the leg in front should be used for a guide and the rear for power and pivoting, he said. Shoulders should be as nearly level as possible when swinging, he declared, or the left could be raised very slightly. Uneven shoulders, he revealed, resulted in pop-up flies. He advised the boys to follow through on the swinging and not to attempt to outguess the pitcher.

Mr. Brown also presented motion picture of big league stars, showing the proper forms of ball playing in slow motion. The pictures, eight times slower than normal speed, were presented be-

fore 300 boys and adults. The movies showed the intricate technique employed by the nation's best players in running, batting, fielding and the like.

The American Baseball Congress, an amateur organization, has been established in 33 states or sections of states, all operating under the same general rules. The chief purpose of the congress is to restore baseball playing to the huge popularity it once enjoyed.

The congress sponsors nationwide tournaments, beginning in counties and eliminating upward through districts and states to the national championship games.

The games this year will be held in September and the winning nine will take a three-week tour of Mexico. Those participating receive no pay but are furnished traveling expenses.

If Sikeston becomes a part of the congress Mr. Brown, through Carlos Jones, district WPA director at Sikeston, will run a series of newspaper articles on how to bat, field and other finer points. Following each account, Coach "Peg" Mahew will conduct a class at the ball park.

After his session here, Mr. Brown left for conferences at Cape Girardeau and Carbondale, Ill., and expected to return here Thursday afternoon.

**FLYING SCHOOL TO HAVE
BROADCASTS FROM ABOVE**

The Irons Flying Service, operating at the Sikeston airport, plans to inaugurate a "Voice of the Sky" service of aerial broadcasting. Capt Bob Fuess, instruct-

or, will fly to St. Louis Friday to secure the waiver permit for this type of aerial broadcasting from the Department of Commerce.

With a muffler on the exhaust, the Taylor Cub plane will cruise about with a loudspeaker strapped to the ailerons on either side, and the operator may speak with a voice that can be heard three miles. Phonograph records are also used.

Capt. Fuess reports an increasing number of students, seven men and a woman having signed up for flying instruction. The woman recruit is Evelyn Sisler of Dexter. Students to sign up recently are Dr. H. A. Dunaway and John Watkins.

After preliminary ground instruction, Capt. Fuess, who has been in aviation 11 years and who has been flying since 1930, takes the student aloft and begins with level flight and shallow turns, later going into landing and steep turns. So that the beginner is equipped for any emergency, he is taught the measures to take in case of spins, stalls with and without power, forced landings and wing-overs. Also, before his solo flight the student has a fundamental knowledge of the engine and a fair knowledge of the air commerce regulations.

Verne T. Irons, proprietor of the school, soloed here July 1 after 5½ hours of instruction.

In the way of aerial advertising, the company dropped handbills July 5 for the Junior Chamber of Commerce to advertise the softball game with Mayfield. The plane has also taken a number of private charter trips.

**PLAN GALA OPENING FOR
CHAFFEE SHOE FACTORY**

The opening picnic and factory dance at the Collins-Morris Shoe Company's new building at Chaffee will be held Saturday, July 24, from 1 p.m. to 2 a.m. under auspices of the Chaffee Chamber of Commerce.

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**AARON RILEY SMITH
DIES FOLLOWING STROKE**

Suffering his second stroke died at his home on Linn Avenue Tuesday evening at 6:45 o'clock. He was 68 years old.

In ill health the past few years, Mr. Smith suffered a stroke on July 2 but appeared to be improving when visited by the second attack.

He was born in Livingston County, Kentucky, and reared on a farm there. Thirty-one years ago he came to Sikeston and remained here since that time.

Forty years ago, in Livingston County, he was married to Emma J. Johnson, who survives him.

He also leaves four children, Joe W. Smith and Mrs. R. C. Mayo of Detroit, Michigan, F. D. Smith of Nashville, Tennessee, and Leo F. Smith of Sikeston.

Rites were conducted at the home at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, the Rev. C. F. Transue, Nazarene pastor, officiating, and burial was made at Memorial Park with Albritton service.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Martin are expected to return this week end after a vacation trip to Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunny Wolff of Nashville, Tenn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker, Monday night.

Members of the W. B. A. enjoyed a picnic dinner Wednesday evening at Buchanan's Tourist Grove.

A barbecue and picnic supper was enjoyed by the croquet club Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Stevens and sons and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pinell Jr., spent Sunday in Murphysboro and Johnson City, Ill.

Alma Nelly Weinand of Farmington is spending the summer here with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. I. Sidwell.

Sayers Tanner is spending the week in California, Mo., as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler A. Young.

Mrs. L. A. Sanderson and two sons, Paul and Lew, of Montgomery, Ala., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman from Tuesday afternoon until Thursday.

They were enroute home from Colorado Springs, Colo., where they had spent the last six weeks.

Mrs. Lou Nall and Mrs. Thelbert Watson will spend the week end in St. Louis.

Louis Trowbridge Jr., of St. Louis was the guest of Miss Edna Hedden last week.

Mrs. C. Jones and Mrs. Thelbert Watson will spend this week end in St. Louis.

Mrs. Ruby Newsom, who recently sustained an appendectomy at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau, will return home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pittman will go to Cape Girardeau and accompany her home.

Prosecutor W. P. Wilkerson of Scott County concluded his case with the exception of the rebuttal Wednesday and asked the death penalty for Smith, accused of complicity in the 1935 slaying of Tom Carlton near Gray's Point. Smith's life sentence in a previous trial was set aside by a higher court.

The case was expected to go to a jury late Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mahew and children visited in New Madrid Sunday with Mrs. Mahew's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hart.

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LAST SHOWING

THURSDAY, JULY 15—

**BOB BURNS
MARTHA RAYE**

"**Mountain Music**"
with
John Howard • Terry Walker
Directed by Robert Florey
A Paramount Picture

Comedy and Short.

FRIDAY, JULY 16—

Riding on Air

With Joe E. Brown.

ON THE STAGE

Lion's Club Chorus.

Pal Night

2 adults admitted for the price of 1. All children 10c.

SATURDAY, JULY 17—



Comedy and Serial.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY,
JULY 18 AND 19—

"ANOTHER DAWN"

With Kay Francis and Carroll Flynn.

News and Comedy.

TUESDAY, JULY 20—



Comedy and Short.

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All Spring Coats are included . . . jigger, swagger, box and belted styles in navy, black and high shades. If you will need a coat for Fall be sure to see these!

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A Special Group of Outstanding DAFFODIL Frocks in Sheer-ic Prints

As super-smart as well as they're super thrifty. They're designed with exciting new fashion details usually seen only in much more expensive frocks, so plan to get several at this economical low price.

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Dresses Priced from \$8.95 to \$22.50
Now Grouped at

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Every pair of sport shoes in the house is included. Many dark shades are included. Sizes for most all feet are here, but of course not in every style.

\$8.75 Fashion Plate	\$5.45
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Just the things for active sport or to put on when being lazy, and what a buy!

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Printed patterns and plain colors, all fast colors 6 to 14, special

49c and 59c

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Special group of shirts that were much higher in price than broken sizes, some slightly soiled . . . real value. White and fancy

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In Silk, Prints and solid colors, pastels and dark shades. All sizes included. We have racked our silk dresses to make your choice easy and economical. Be sure to see them.

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OFF WITH THE GUN



Mr. and Mrs. Luther Deane and children, Louis, Buster, Martha and Francis, left Monday for California where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Byron Kelly and little daughter Kay Francis of Caruthersville spent the week end here with Mrs. Kelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huis.

Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

Tony Freeland of Tanner community spent the week end with Beatrice Adcock.

Miss Margaret Crosno returned home Sunday afternoon after having spent the past week with Mary Virginia Robertson of Iron-ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams and son will leave the latter part of this week for an extended visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Edwyna Johnson spent the week end with Neil Moore.

We are sorry to report that A. J. Heiser is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Loren Moore and family of Big Opening. They were accompanied home by Mildred Moore who will spend this week visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Harris and baby were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Harris of Pharris Ridge.

Zelma Kem spent Sunday afternoon with Opal Hastings of Big Opening.

Rev. Homer Gunn of Kewanee filled his regular appointment at Landers Ridge Saturday evening and Sunday morning and evening. While here he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and family.

A two week's revival will begin

at Landers Ridge Sunday, August 1 conducted by Rev. Lowry of Illinois. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Joe Seaton of Malden spent the past week here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mamie Johnson and children and Mrs. Virginia Thompson and sons enjoyed a swimming party at East Ditch Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crosno and daughter Mildred, motored to Portageville Sunday afternoon.

Louise Kem, spent the week end with Euleta Savage of Phar-ris Ridge.

Earl, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Les Edwards is convalescing nicely after a serious illness of pneumonia followed by colitis.

Mike Sheiber of Alton, Ill., arrived last week to be with his wife and children who are visiting Mrs. Sheiber's parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fletcher.

Ruth Towsend spent Sunday with Beatrice Adcock.

Louise Kem and Mildred Moore spent Monday afternoon with Lois Johnson.

Evelyn and Loren Porter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowe.

Helen and Nolen Huffman spent the week end with friends near Sikeston.

Mrs. James Thompson and sons of Normal, Ill., who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mamie Johnson and family for the past two months will return home the latter part of this week.

50TH DISTRICT MASON'S HAVE SESSION AT CHAFFEE

The following transcript of an interesting document over 100 years old, now in possession of a Southeast Missouri resident, was sent to the Standard office:

A call for Election of Certain Officers in New Madrid County, July 19th 1820.
The State of Missouri,
To the Sheriff of New Madrid County, or in case of vacancy, to the Coroner of said County, greeting:
You are hereby required, that you cause an Election to be held, in the manner prescribed by law, at the several places of holding Elections within your County on the Fourth Monday of August next for one Governor of this state; a Representative in the

House of Representatives, a Senator, a Member of the General Assembly, and a Sheriff.

The following program took

place: Invocation, Rev. W. A. Humphreys, grand chaplain of the Missouri Grand Lodge; address of welcome, Mayor O. T. Honey of Chaffee; response, F. E. Mount, Sikeston, president of the association; principal addresses, Most Worshipful Grand Master Geo. W. Walker, Cape Girardeau; Rev. C. H. Morton, grand order of the Missouri Grand Lodge; Clarence Powell, Dexter, vice-president of the association, and Dr. G. A. Sample, district deputy grand master of the 50th district.

Business was discussed and it was decided to hold the next meeting in October in Bell City. A roll call of lodges showed 12 of 16 lodges present.

Those to attend from Sikeston were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mount, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Lucy, Marshall Wilson and Jere Caverino.

Most Worshipful Grand Master Walker will meet with Sikeston Masons on the evening of August 5.

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Congress of The United States for the residue of the sixteenth Congress, a Representative for the seventeenth Congress; two senators for the district composed of your said county and the country of Cape Girardeau, and two Representatives from your said county to the General Assembly; one Sheriff and one Coroner for your County—Herein fall not.

Witness David Barton, president of the Convention at St. Louis, the 19th day of July, 1820, and of American Independence,

(Territorial Seal Affixed)

for two years unless sooner removed by the Governor.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto fixed the seal of the territory. Given under my hand at St. Louis the 2nd day of December in the year of our Lord 1818 and of the Independence of the United States the 43rd.

Signed: Frederick Bates. (Territorial Seal Affixed)

Signed: David Barton.

Preceding the foregoing writ of election was the formal appointment of Abraham Hunter, December 2, 1818, set forth as follows:

Frederick Bates, Secretary of the Territory of Missouri and exercising the government thereof;

To all who shall see these presents, greeting:

Know ye, that reposing special trust and confidence in the integrity, abilities and diligence of Abraham Hunter, I do appoint him sheriff of the County of New Madrid and empower him to discharge the duties of said office according to law: To have and to hold the said office, with all powers, privileges and emoluments to the same of right appertaining,

are being picked daily. Other important crops include potatoes, beans, onions, spinach, beets, carrots, cucumbers, pumpkins and squash. About 20 acres of tobacco is being grown which Renz says he plans to process this fall for use of the inmates. Despite the poor farming years due to the drought and flood, the prison farms produced \$244,000 worth of supplies during 1935 and 1936, Renz said. If land was available to make operations feasible, Renz said, the State could profitably farm 10,000 acres.

Abundant Vegetable Crop On State's Prison Farms

Jefferson City, July 12.—Under the direction of Paul V. Renz of Platte City, farm commissioner, hundreds of acres on the four scattered Missouri prison farms within a 15-mile radius of here are now producing all the fresh vegetables the 450 convicts can eat. Surplus food will be canned, to be served at prison tables during the winter months.

There are about 2500 acres under cultivation on the farms, where some 450 convicts, mostly outgoing prisoners, are detailed, virtually all the land is rented. Corn is the most important crop, Renz said, with about 1500 acres under cultivation. It will be used principally to feed cattle and hogs which will be butchered later for prison use.

County Agent Veatch urges farmers to watch their crops carefully and in case of damage or any likely hood of danger the

bait should be spread. In many cases the hoppers are still confined to pastures, hay crops and fence rows and as long as green feed is available they will probably not damage other crops. However, the amount eaten in pastures and hay fields is considerably more than the cost of the poison bait. In every case where there are 15 or more to the square yard poison bait should be used.

Late Potatoes Can Be Forced

One of the difficulties Scott county farmers have with growing fall potatoes is that the seed often lies dormant for some time before sprouting, many times being delayed so long that they fail to make potatoes before frost.

County Agent Veatch demonstrated the use of a product Wednesday near Blodgett which cures the seed enough for sprouting instead of the usual 3 or 4 weeks dormant period necessary in most cases.

He applied the material to the seed in the evening and let the seed in the sack stand over night in a tight barrel. It was ready to plant the next morning and the cost of treatment was 25 cents per bushel. Farmers interested can get in touch with the County Agent's office.

To Entertain Circle A Of St. Ann's Sodality

Mrs. Rudolph Schuhardt and Mrs. R. Biernert of Morehouse will entertain Circle A of St. Ann's Sodality and other friends with a chicken dinner, Tuesday, July 20, at the home of Mrs. Schuhardt.

LIONS HOLDING FISH FRY

In place of their regular meeting at noon Wednesday, the Lions are holding a fish fry at Applegate's Grove Thursday evening at 5 o'clock, with all club members and their friends invited.

Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilson returned Friday from a week's visit with their son in law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates in Mokane, Mo. Mrs. Yates and little son, W. H. Herschel Wilson accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Donald Story and little daughter Martha Ann and Mrs. Roy Alsop visited in Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Mrs. Gordon Straud and children and brother Robert Burch, who is here visiting from Evansville, Ind., motored to Memphis, Monday to visit their sister Mrs. Johnnie Spence and family. They returned home Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Spence and children who remained for a short visit.

Marion Rodgers of Cape Girardeau spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton.

Mrs. A. F. Deane and son Bobby Dale spent several days the past week in Greenway, Ark., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alsop had the following at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Binford, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deane Jr., and son, W. H. Deane Sr. and Dr. Mowry of Jackson.

Dr. Mowry, layman from the M. E. Church of Jackson had charge of services at the M. E. Church of this place Sunday. A very interesting talk was given.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huckstep and children and Mrs. Huckstep's mother Mrs. Mills, left last week for a few weeks visit in Texas.

Mrs. Clifford Sutton, daughter Miss Bernice, Misses Lillian and Kathleen Spalding spent Saturday in Hayti visiting Mrs. Sherman Hill and Miss Hazel Mangrum.

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Saturday Afternoon Special
FROM 2:00 P. M. TILL 6 P. M. ONLY

Bananas Large Golden Fruit doz. 5c

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FRUIT JARS Quarts Dozen 65¢
FRUIT JARS 1/2 Gallon Doz. 95¢

Puffed Wheat 2 packages 15¢

Corn Flakes 4 10c pkgs. 25¢

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CANNING SUPPLIES
MASON JARS COMPLETE WITH LIDS
PINTS DOZ. 59¢ QUARTS DOZ. 69¢

CERTO BTL. 23c	JAR CAPS DOZ. 25c
SURE-JEL 2 PKGS. 25c	PEN-JEL 2 PKGS. 25c
JAR RINGS 2 PKGS. 9c	PARAWAX 10c

FAMOUS A&P SALAD **DRESSING** IONA BRAND QUART JAR 25¢ QUART JAR 29¢

PORK & BEANS 6 11-OZ. CANS 25¢ DOZ. CANS 49c

AGP FEATURES AN IONA BRAND **Flour Sale** 24-LB. SACK 73¢ 48-LB. SACK \$1.45

RAJAH CIDER VINEGAR . . . QT. FLOWER VASE JAR 10¢	CHIPS, RINSE OR OXYDOL . . . 3 SM. PKGS. 25c
SUNNYFIELD CORN FLAKES . . . 2 LGE. PKGS. 19¢	ARMOUR'S STAR POTTED MEATS 5 1/2-OZ. CAN 5c
LIFEBUOY LUX SOAP . . . 3 CAKES 20¢	LIGHT OR DARK MALT OLD MUNICH . . . 3 LB. CAN 55¢
SPARKLE . . . 6 PKGS. 25c	CLEANS, DISINFECTS PUREX . . . QT. JAR 15¢

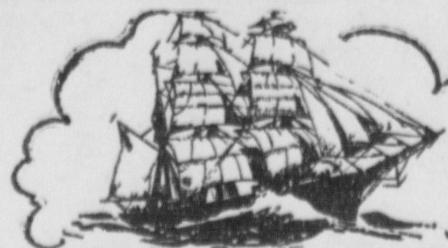
SUPER CREAMED CRISCO OR SPRY 3 LB. CAN 59¢	AGP FANCY FRUIT COCKTAIL . . . 2 NO. 1 CANS 25¢
AGP FANCY APPLE SAUCE . . . 3 NO. 2 CANS 25¢	STANDARD QUALITY JUICE OF TOMATOES . . . 12 1/2-OZ. JAR 5c
BULK, CRISP POTATO CHIPS LB. 39¢	GOLD MEDAL OR PILLSBURY'S FLOUR . . . 5 LB. SACK 29¢
Sweetheart Soap Chips 5 lb. Box 35¢	LOW PRICED Pinto Beans . . . 3 LBS. 25¢

No. 1 POTATOES 15 lb. Peck 25¢	NUTLEY BRAND OLEO 2 LBS. 25¢
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SOUTHERN, SWEET, JUICY **Watermelon** LARGE 26-28-LB. EACH AVERAGE . . . 39¢

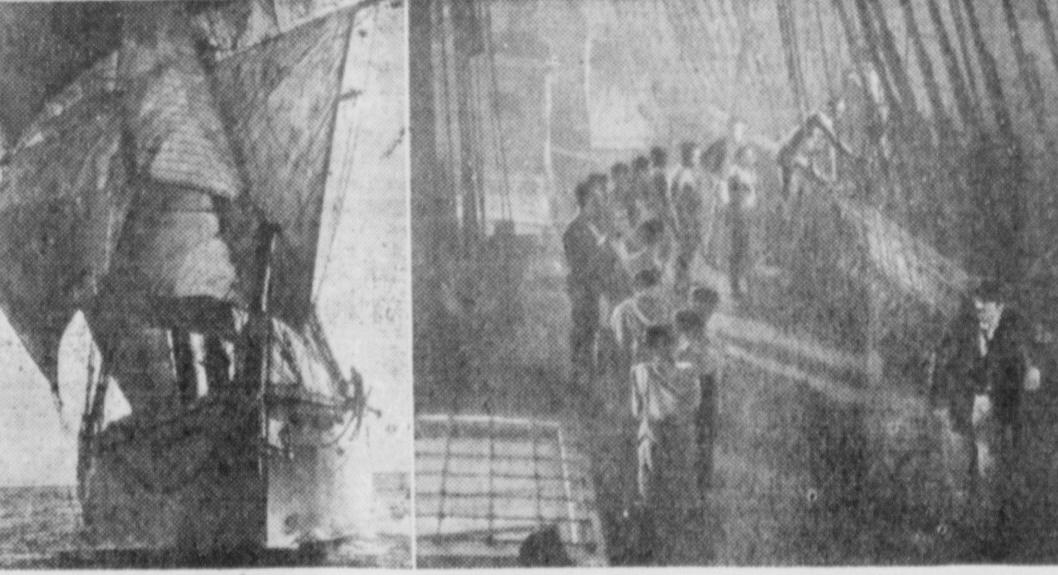
BANANAS doz. 15c	Home Grown CORN large ears 2 Doz. 25c
Lettuce 60 size 2 Heads 13c	

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SLAVE SHIP

The story of the 20th Century-Fox Film
starring Warner Baxter and Wallace Beery



AT A REMOTE port on the northwest coast of Africa in the year 1849, Captain Jim Lovett (Warner Baxter) of the slave-ship Albatross, and his mate, Jack Thompson (Wallace Berry), conclude the purchase of a shipload of slaves from Danielo, (Joseph Schildkraut). The slave dealer is in high good humor, but the two seamen fail to appreciate his joking references to the possibility that they may be caught and hanged.

WHILE the final steps of the deal are being executed, members of the Albatross crew, with liberal use of black-snake whips, herd the unfortunate blacks into the cramped, ill-smelling hold of the slave ship. Packed sardine fashion, the slaves seem to realize that the usual death rate for the long, equatorial crossing is about twenty-five percent of the "cargo". But chained in the hold, they can only hope for a safe passage, for it was a custom on slave ships to drown the negroes if a warship was sighted in pursuit.

HEER "cargo" stowed below, away from the sight of casually passing vessels, the Albatross weighs anchor and stands out for the long, perilous run to the American coast. Sharp-eyed look-outs scan the horizon for sight of American or British naval patrols, for capture means death.

GOOD fortune attends the Albatross. After several narrow escapes from naval frigates, the slave ship arrives at a secret rendezvous south of the Virginia Capes. Shore look-outs signal that all is clear, and the surviving blacks are quickly transferred ashore. Since the blockade against slave-running, the price has soared, and Captain Lovett has no difficulty in disposing of his cargo at a high return for himself and his crew.

(To be continued)

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LEGALS

Spanish Casket Found in Flood Is To Be Studied

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentary on the estate of Chas. D. Matthews, Jr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28 day of June, 1937, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

ELEANOR B. MATTHEWS,
VIRGINIA M. PHILLIPS,
CHAS. D. MATTHEWS 3RD.
Executors.

— Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court of Scott County.

(SEAL) O. L. SPENCER,
Probate Judge.
80-82-84-86

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Notice is hereby given, that letters Testamentary of the estate of Bert Breen, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 22 day of June, 1937, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

RUTH BREEN,
Executive.

Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court of Scott County.

(SEAL) O. L. SPENCER,
Probate Judge.

Notice of Final Settlement
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Franklin Moore, Adm'r. D. B. N. of the estate of Laurel G. Stacy, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Administrator, D. B. N. at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be held at Benton in said county, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937.

FRANKLIN MOORE

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on July 31, 1937, between 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the Post Office in Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri, under powers given me in a deed of trust dated December 1, 1936, signed by W. L. Righter and wife, Mary F. Righter, filed for record January 8, 1937, recorded in Book 51, Pages 299-300, in the Office of Record of Deeds in said County and executed to Lee B. Ewing, W. F. Sterett, Robert L. Ewing and Gilbert Carter as Trustees, to secure note therein described, which is delinquent, according to its terms, I will, as Trustee, at the request of the legal holder, who has declared the debt due, under the terms of the deed of trust, sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public vendue, the real estate therein described, to-wit: All of lots number Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) in Block Number Fifteen (15) of McCoy and Tanner's Second Addition to the Town or City of Sikeston, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, and all improvements thereon, including all fixtures and equipment enumerated in said deed of trust, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and cost of executing this trust.

GILBERT CARTER,
Trustee.

July 9, 16, 23, 30.

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1933 Chev Panel Good Shape	\$250.00
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softball games here Wednesday night. The boys, under the tutelage of Coach "Peg" Mahew, gained two victories over the Stoddard County lads last week at Dexter.

The elder group, from 15 to 18 years, took their battle, 11-5, in seven innings Wednesday night. This game was featured by the pitching of Wagner and work of Tongate at second base. The 8-to-15-year division won a 5-inning tilt, 8-6.

The younger boys had the following lineup: Catcher, O'Connor; pitcher, Marshall; first base, Mitchell; second base, Waggoner; shortstop, Billy Joe and Lowell Greer; third base, Wagner; left field, Moore; center field, McCord; right field, Renner and Swacker; short center, Daugherty.

The other Sikeston team consisted of: Catcher, Rafferty; pitcher, R. Wagner; first base, Aldridge; second base, Tongate; shortstop, Heath; third base, Watson; left field, Swain; center field, Young; right field, Marsh; short center, Davis and Holliday.

Coach Mahew hopes to book a game with Charleston boys in the near future.

For 30 minutes at the High School the boys saw movies presented by C. O. Brown, Chicago athletic associate, on batting, fielding and other baseball points by the Chicago Cubs.

Child Performer Visits Grandparents at Blodgett

Mrs. C. A. Williams, of Chicago are visiting in the home of the latter's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCann of near Blodgett.

Lowell, the son of the late Mrs. Mildred McCann Williams, formerly of Sikeston, was recently chosen as one of the winners in a juvenile contest held in Chicago, participating in the juvenile talent parade, and as one of the juvenile stars on Mayor Kelly's Chicago Charter jubilee program.

The young man dances, sings and speaks and is a registered model with work at the Model's bureau.

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Orville Lumsden will spend the week end in Jefferson City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott were guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. A. Harris in Portageville, Thursday night.

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1932 Ford BB Pick-up

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Peacock Styles	8.75 Values NOW 6.75
Vitality Health Shoes	6.75 Values NOW 5.75
Tweedie Styles	6.00 Values NOW 4.85
Special Styles	5.00 Values NOW 3.85
Active Maid Sport Oxfords	3.85 Values NOW 2.85

MEN'S—White and Sport Oxfords

Bostonians	\$6.75 & \$7.75 Values NOW \$5.75
Freeman Fashion Built	5.50 Values NOW 3.85
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Ask for a Selection of Ladies' Brown and Black Shoes.

In our ECONOMY SECTION priced \$3.85 and \$5.75. Values up to \$10.00 in both sections.

There are many other values that we are unable to mention which would pay you to come and see.

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LOCALS

Mrs. Dicie Johnson and daughter Miss Essie Johnson, spent Thursday as guests of Mrs. G. P. Pierce and daughter Miss Rebecca Pierce.

Miss Hita Clymer arrived Saturday from Memphis, Tenn., where she is a student in the Nurses Training class at St. Joseph's Hospital for a two weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter of Palmer.

Mrs. H. L. Boad of Palmer came Tuesday evening to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Conatser, until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan and grandson, Charles Buchanan of Rolla, and Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Taylor of Anna, Ill., expect to leave Monday for a two weeks trip to Colorado and Yellowstone Park.

Mrs. Amos Buchanan and son Bryan of Rolla, came Tuesday night and will manage the Tourist Camp during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boyce were in Anna, Ill., Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of an aunt of Mrs. Boyce.

John Roth of Cape Girardeau visited his grandmother, Mrs. L. O. Rodes, Saturday and Sunday. He was recuperating after an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ichy Arthur and two children and the former's aunt, Mrs. Dora Hansen, spent Sunday near Bessville in Bollinger county.

The summer circular of the Chillicothe Business College, a \$10,000 issue, is being mailed recent high school graduates throughout twenty states. By this means the college secures its annual yearly enrollment of over 3000.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Harrel had as dinner guests Tuesday evening, Lee Blakemore of St. Louis; Mr. Thorn of Memphis, and Mrs. Dan Foley.

Mrs. B. J. Murback entertained her card club Wednesday afternoon.

William Corrigan and Mrs. Betty Matthews visited the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Corrigan in Poplar Bluff, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. Clay Mitchell will entertain Circle A of St. Ann's Sodality and other friends, Thursday afternoon.

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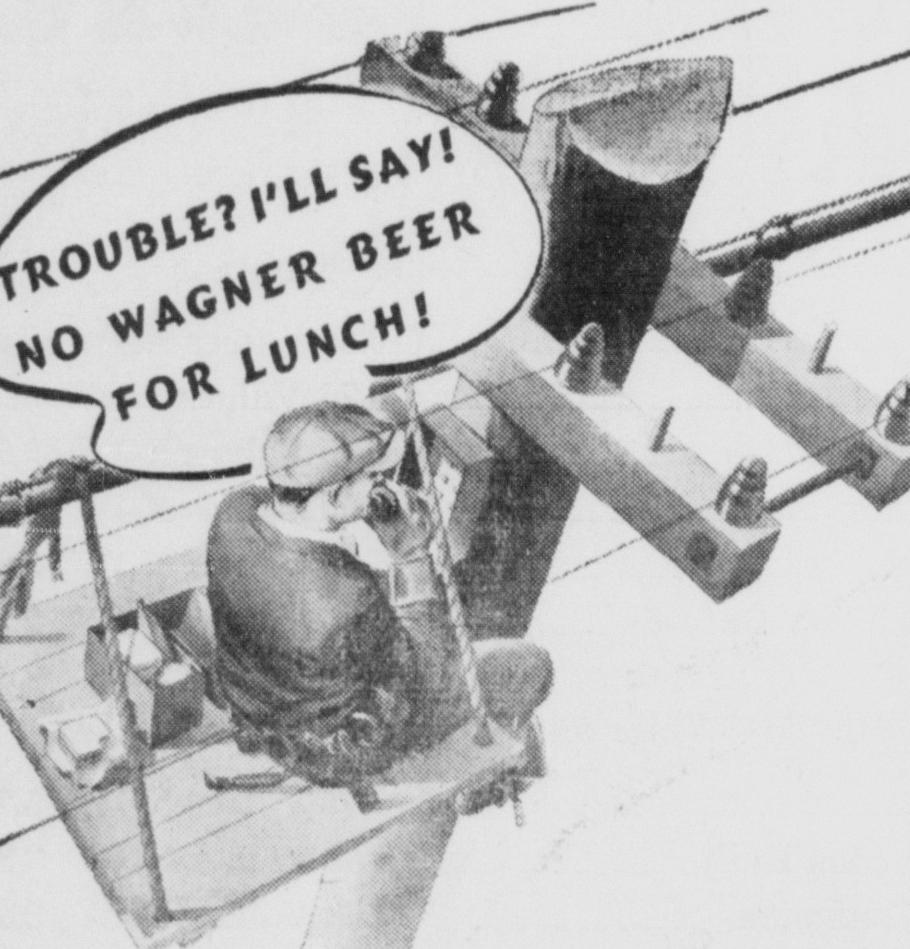


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THE SIKESTON STANDARD, SIKESTON, MO.

turned Thursday to their home northwest of Sikeston, after spending some time at their cottage in Arcadia.

The Chillicothe Business College has an opening in its Boarding Department for a woman head cook and kitchen supervisor, one with restaurant, boarding house or hotel experience. Preference also given a widow with daughter or son to educate.

Mrs. A. C. Sikes entertained Thursday afternoon at her home on South Kingshighway, with five tables of bridge, in compliment to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Kendall Sikes.

A. C. Sikes, Mrs. F. M. Sikes and Mrs. O. E. Kendall visited with Mrs. Lindsay Brown and family in Charleston Thursday afternoon.

Chief of Police Walter Kendall and Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Stallings visited the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rodman, in Jefferson City from Saturday until Tuesday.

They were accompanied home by Mrs. Kendall who had spent the past three weeks with her daughter.

Personal and Society News From Oran

Jas. Maddox who has been visiting relatives here has returned to his home in St. Louis. Mrs. Maddox and children remained for a longer visit.

Relatives from St. Louis have been visiting at the Elmer Heney home.

Mrs. Chas. Spears who has been quite sick is improving.

Mrs. Frank Carter and daughters Priscilla and Patricia and Miss Dixie Hedger of Cape Girardeau spent Friday at the Chas. Carter home.

Ralph Sikes went to Bonne Terre Saturday to see his father who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Chas. Oliver went to Thebes, Illinois Thursday to get acquainted with her new grandson at the Fred Wilson home.

Her small granddaughter Joan Duning accompanied her. Mrs. Wilson was formerly Miss Stella Cruise.

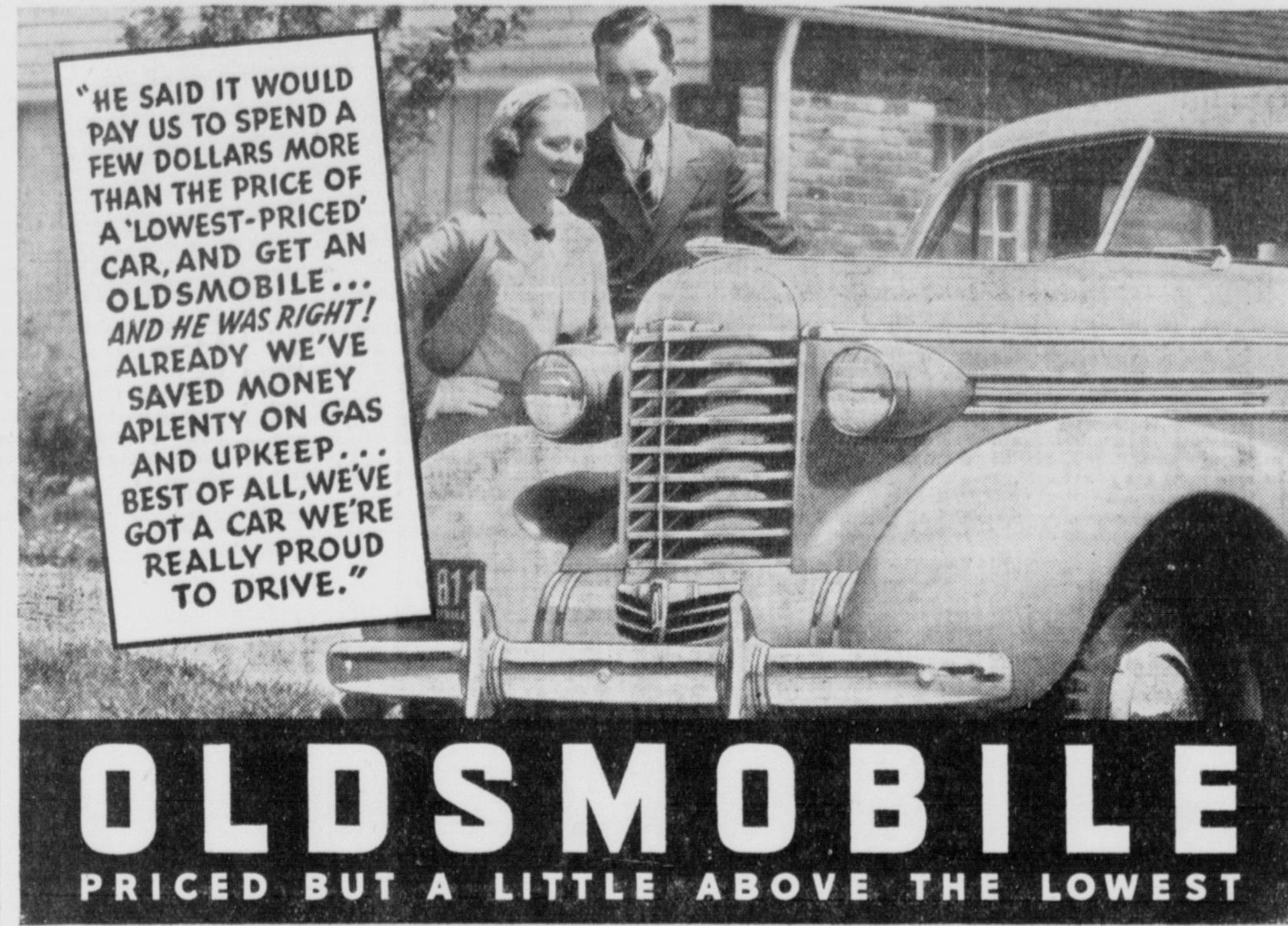
Mrs. and Mrs. Byron Wade and children were over from Benton Saturday night.

Mrs. A. C. Barrett, Mrs. Jean Hirschberg, Miss Emma Grojean and Mrs. W. A. Anthony were in St. Louis Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Russell re-



"TOOK A TIP FROM A GAS STATION MAN!"



BOYER AUTO SERVICE, SIKESTON, MO.

Mr. Dora Huffstetler has been ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lett and son Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster and family, Misses Margaret Thacker and June Cummings attended the Henry Meldrum Post No. 114 American Legion picnic Sunday off Highway 61, near the Swinging Bridge.

Miss June Penn of St. Louis is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Boone.

Mrs. Dora Collington left Monday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Otto Shorter of Terre Haute, Ind.

District sanitary engineers will check water supply, sewage disposal, mosquito control and all other environmental factors affecting health, Dr. Williams said.

The health officer and nurses will devote their time to preventive work through immunization, control of communicable diseases, health work in the schools and advocating prenatal and maternal hygiene.

4-H Club Camp at Arcadia

Preparations are all made for the trip to Arcadia. New Madrid County is having the largest delegation of 4-H club members at the camp.

Those who will attend are:

From Risco—Mrs. Iris Sheehan, leader, Avanelle Anders, Elaine Anders, Alma Jean Gibbs, Margie Parker, Helen Skaggs, Wilma Morris, Mary Ethel Black, Mrs. J. W. Anders, leader, Lorraine Anders, Mary Ford, Marie Porter, Mildred Allen, Lois Allen, Lois Parks, Peggy Sue Marke, Meredith Morris, Wilma Brantley, Betty Jean Zarecor, Joe Anna Brown, Ida Bell Brown, Mr. E. E. Baskin, leader, Billy Applegate, Jr., Wright, Robert Earl Baskin, Swaine Fisher, Bill Jones and Cleo Jones.

From Canalou—Mrs. Milus Davis, leader, Earline Smith, Rachel Coppage, Hazel Lee Blankenship, Helen McDaniel, Naomi Muffett, Billie Sue Barnett, Mrs. Leonard Baughn, leader, Imogene Leffler, Barney Blankenship.

From Neuman: Robert Eicherman, Walter Crafton, David Slos and Nadine Slos.

From Parma—Mrs. Solon Gee, leader, Jacqueline Zarecor, Maxine Harrison, Billie B. Bolton, Sara Lou Norman, June Phillips, Irene Stewart, Lucille Ramsey, Jessie Dean Sharp, Peggy Webb, Sammie Schaefer, Wallace Knight, Tracy Eaton, Jack Gee, J. L. Julian, Robert Gee, Donald Gee, and J. C. Dills.

From Tinsley—Marietta Twit-

ty, Frances Palmer, From Lilburn—Mrs. F. LaFont, leader, Jeanne LaFont, Sue Duncan, Ethel Jones, leader, Roberta Pollock, Assistant leader, and Mary Shelby.

From Conran—Louise Berry. No list, but we are expecting at least five. They have their own transportation.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness during the illness and death of our son—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gillean.

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